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## The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1864.

### NATIONAL RETRIBUTIVE JUSTICE.

The bombardment and total destruction of Kagosima in August last by a portion of the British fleet, a very brief account of which we publish in another column, is surely of sufficient moment to demand a thought or two. There is little doubt that the act under consideration has caused many thousands of our countrymen to drink and shout and sing to the supposed accelerated glory of the British fleet, many of them ignorant of the cause, and others, although having an indistinct knowledge that it was "*retributive justice*" for the murder of a British subject, yet never trouble themselves as to the merits of the case. Is it not a fact that we British subjects, too much like the adherents of a certain Christian church, are apt to accept as right whatever is done by that great and glorious nation to which we belong simply because she does it? In other matters this is far from being our characteristic. But in the dealings of Great Britain with other nations and peoples we fear this feeling of unquestioning reliance has grown too much upon the people. It is just as important that the people should take an intelligent interest in the policy of their Government with the outside world as in those internal affairs which more directly concern their pockets, for the permanent greatness of the nation hangs on the one as much as the other. If we believe that the law laid down by Providence is that no nation shall grow great, or retain greatness, but by proving itself worthy of its place, if our pride in our country is that it opens the way to a policy that all mankind may bless, it is fitting that we should carefully watch and examine her dealings with other nations, being as ready to condemn when we believe her in the wrong as to praise when a glorious deed has been performed.

But here is an act well calculated to make the most thoughtless and blindly loyal pause and reflect. A fleet of seven of Her Majesty's ships of war bombard and destroy a city, unhome and proximately destroy 180,000 souls! What is the cause? Surely it must be a most heinous crime to demand so awful a punishment. It is the murder of one Richardson, a British subject, by the Japanese. Murder is bad enough, and ought to be appropriately punished; but what peculiar turpitude and national importance attaches to the murder of Richardson to justify not the execution of his murderers but the indiscriminate destruction of a whole city? We have not the full particulars at hand, but believe the following were the circumstances under which the affray took place: The Japanese authorities notified the community of their desire that foreigners should not be found riding on the Tokaido, a great public highway, on a specified day, the 15th of September, 1862, we believe, because it was probable that on that day Daimios, with their hosts of feudal retainers unaccustomed to the sight of foreigners, would be travelling upon it. But it would appear that in defiance of this notice Richardson, the person who was killed, and two others, Marshall and Clarke, took their injudicious ride on the Tokaido that evening. They met for a considerable extent on the road Daimio's retainers, and they knew perfectly well that if they kept on they must soon come in contact with the Daimio himself; but they did not return. They braved the consequences. They kept on the road, which, by the customs of the country, is, for the time, sacred to rank, and especially from the intrusion of foreigners. They met the father of the Prince of Satsuma; they were attacked and Richardson was killed. Here are men who push themselves into a country where they are far from welcome; they, in the most wanton disregard of friendly warning, and in direct contravension of a known law, provoke an attack, and the life of one of the three falls a sacrifice, not to the brutal savagery of a barbarous people, but to their own temerity. And it is for this that Great Britain demands an enormous ranson, and because her demand is not acceded to a whole city must be reduced to ashes, and hundreds of thousands of innocent people, who had no more connection with the affray than the man in the moon, are to be murdered and ruined! We are in the habit of calling the Japanese uncivilized, and they, in turn, call us barbarians. Of the two we certainly think Great Britain has played the barbarian for once. Suppose one of the Japanese people living in England should be executed for the breach of law and his Government should make a similar demand, and, failing compliance, should send over a fleet and lay Liverpool in ashes, seizing and burning as much of our shipping as they should be able to lay their hands upon, what would we think of the transaction? For us to say that Richardson did nothing worthy of death is not to the point. We must not expect our notions of things to be recognized in Japan. They have just as good a right to make and enforce their own laws as we have; and if a British subject forces himself into a country where he is not wanted, and knowingly and wantonly tramples upon the most sacred laws of that country we cannot see what right he has to expect that his death will be avenged by the British fleet. Britain *can* do a great many high-handed things now in her strength. But let her abuse that power in oppressing and exacting terms from the weak she would not venture to demand from the strong, and her glory may yet pass under a cloud, for the Golden Rule is of national as well as individual application, and that nation which continues to diregard it will sooner or later reap as it has sown.


New Advertisements.

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**SMITH & BRIDGMAN,**
Proprietors.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having purchased the establishment hitherto known as "HARDIE'S HOTEL," and having thoroughly renovated and re-furnished it, are now prepared to accommodate regular boarders and transient visitors upon reasonable terms.

**THE BAR**
Will be constantly supplied with the choicest
**LIQUORS AND CIGARS.**

SMITH & BRIDGMAN.
New Westminster, B. C., Sept. 25, 1863. se26-tc

**To the Nervous and Debilitated.**

DR. CURTIS, author of the Medical Treatise, "MANHOOD: the Cause of its Premature Decline," &c., will, on receipt of $1, send per return of mail, to any part of the Province, his invaluable remedy for the cure of seminal weakness, or Spermatorrhœa, &c., together with full instructions. All who are suffering from nocturnal emissions, should immediately procure the above remedy, which Dr. C. guarantees will cure any case under seven years standing, in eight days.

Address Dr. RALPH CURTIS, M.R.C.S. & P., Box 773 P. O. Toronto, C. W.

N. B.—All letters must invariably be addressed "Dr. RALPH CURTIS," to avoid mistake, otherwise disappointment may be caused.

Toronto, Sept. 1863. no14-3m

**Mrs. KIRKWOOD,**
**DRESS MAKER,**
OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
**Spalding Street, New Westminster, B. C.**

☞ The latest **Ladies' Fashions** from **Paris** on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited
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**G. VIGNOLO & CO.,**
No. 2, Reid's Block, Wharf Street,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
**GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,**
—ALSO—
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every steamer. jy12

**W. J. ARMSTRONG,**
COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
**GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, CLASSWARE, AND**
Oilman's Stores,

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elswhere.

N. B.—**Fresh Garden Seeds** Just received and for sale.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.
New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

New Advertisements.

## EXPRESS.

**DIETZ & NELSON'S**
British Columbia & Victoria Express,
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH
Wells Fargo & Co.,
FOR
**CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;**
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH
**BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,**
FOR
**Cariboo and the Northern Mines,**

CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;
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ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14 tc

## ERNEST PICHT,

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
**Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars.**

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;
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GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM—Different brands;
WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;
CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands;
SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;
HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

**ERNEST PICHT,**
New Westminster, B. C.,
**Brewer and Maltster,**
AND DEALER IN
Brewer Stock;
***DISTILLER***
AND DEALER IN
DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,
40° over proof, superior to any;
—ALSO,—
**REFINED ALCOHOL**
in Tins, 95 per cent.

****Chronicle* and *Colonist* please copy. ap15-6m

**MANHOOD**
—AND—
**THE VIGOR OF YOUTH RESTORED!**
IN FOUR WEEKS, BY
DR. SICOTTE'S ESSENCE OF LIFE.

DR. SICOTTE (OF PARIS) AFTER YEARS OF earnest solicitation, has at length acceded to the urgent request of the American public, and appointed an Agent in Toronto for the sale of his valued and highly prized Essence of Life. This wonderful agent will restore Manhood to the most shattered constitutions, whether arising from excesses, the effects sf climate, or natural causes. The time required to cure the most inveterate case is four weeks; and, if used according to printed instructions, which are very simple, failure is impossible. This life-restoring remedy should be taken by all about to marry, as its effects are permanent. It is acknowledged by the medical press to be the greatest discovery ever made. Its developing powers are miraculous. Success, in every case, is as certain as that science overthrows ignorance.

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JAMES HIBBERT,
King Street, Toronto, C. W.
Toronto, Sept. 1863. no14-3m

**ANDERSON & Co.,**

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously Byass Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandies, Scotch Whiskey, Rum, &c.

oc31 WHARF ST., VICTORIA.

New Advertisements.

**TILTON & McFARLAND'S**
NEWLY IMPROVED
**Fire and Burglar Proof**
SAFES AND VAULTS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN APPOINTED sole Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia for the above mentioned celebrated Safes and Vaults, now beg to intimate that they have always an assortment on hand for sale.

Persons wishing to be secure in their possession of
Books, Papers, and other Valuables,
should lose no time in supplying themselves with one of Tilton & McFarland's Fire and Burglar Proof Safes or Vaults.

JULIUS LOEWI & CO.,
No 12 Yates st., Victoria.

**JULIUS LOEWI & CO.,**
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
Fancy Goods, Furnishing Goods,
**Pipes, Perfumery, Notions, &c., &c.,**

AGENS FOR Messrs. TILTON & McFARLAND'S Fire and Burglar Proof Safes and Vaults, receive regular shipments from Europe and New York, and sell at the very lowest prices.

no25-1m No 12 Yates st., Victoria, V. I.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REFITTED THE
PEMBERTON HOUSE.
FOR THE
**Accommodation of Travellers,**
WITH
**BEDS AND LIQUORS,**

AND having engaged the best Cooks on the Pacific Coast, are prepared to furnish the travelling public with all the comforts and luxuries of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, at greatly reduced rates.

N. B.—Travellers will find it to their advantage to patronize this House, as none but the best of everything will be furnished.

P. SMITH & CO.
Pemberton, Sept. 12th, 1862. se13

**CLINTON.**

WATSON & CO., OF THE 47 MILE HOUSE, situated at the Junction of the Lillooet, Lytton and Alexander Wagon Road, beg leave to inform the travelling public that they have erected and are now fitting up near their old stand a large and commodious house to be known as the CLINTON HOUSE.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT is being fitted up with a large and commodious Bar-room, with a splendid Billiard Table; also a dining room capable of seating 50 men, private sitting room, with bed rooms attached, for the accommodation of families. Bedrooms fitted up with Pulu Mattressés. Bunks and mattresses free of charge for those who wish to use their own blankets. The culinary department is under the supervision of an experienced cook. A large garden is attached, from which the table is supplied with fresh vegetables. The best of Liquors always kept at the Bar. Stabling to accommodate 40 horses, with plenty of hay and grain always on hand.

TERMS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Board per week, | $15 00 |
| do day, | 2 50 |
| Single Meals, | 1 00 |
| Beds per Night, | 1 00 |
| Stabling and hay per night, | 1 00 |
| Barley and Oats, per lb., | 25 |

The Clinton Hotel is a station for the Lillooet and Alexandria Stages, and Barnard's Express. The latest dates of papers, both Foreign and Colonial, always to be seen at the Clinton Hotel.

PROPRIETORS { R. WATSON, G. WATSON, W. I. McKINNON.
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**CITY BAKERY**
—AND—
**COFFEE SALOON.**

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the
**Corner of Columbia and Hall Streets,**
where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

**Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes,**
supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

JOSEPH SOREL.
New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

**MUNICIPAL.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, "to all whom it may concern," that under the provisions of the "New Westminster Nuisances By-Law," they are prohibited from erecting any Verandah, or projecting covering on any street within the Municipality, without previously laying a plan of the same before the Council, and obtaining their consent to its erection.

By order,
VALENTINE HALL,
Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, October 6, 1863. oc7

Victoria Advertisements.

THE
**Royal Insurance Company.**
—FOR—
Fire & Life Insurance.
**CAPITAL - - - - - Ten Million Dollars!**

HEAD OFFICES,—Liverpool and London.

*CHAIRMAN,*
**Charles Turner, Esq., M. P.**
*DEPUTY CHAIRMEN,*
**Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.**
*MANAGER AND ACTUARY,*
**PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.**

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERsigned their Agents for
Vancouver Island & British Columbia,
and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the
Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

**James Dickson, Esq., M. D.,** has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
*Wharf Street.*
Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

**BALMORAL SEED STORE**
—AND—
Nursery Depot,
**FORT STREET.**

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c., being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

**AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES.**

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent for some of the Largest Importers and Best Manufacturers of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES in San Francisco, is prepared to supply all sorts of Agricultural Implements and Machines at a small advance on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills, Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties ordering will require to remit with the order about one-fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.

J. BEGG,
ap18 tc *Balmoral Nursery Depot, Fort St., Victoria.*

**DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,**
Commission Merchants,
CORNER OF JOHNSON AND WHARF STREETS,
**VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.**

H. N. DICKSON & CO., - - - LONDON.
DICKSON, DEWOLF & CO., - SAN FRANCISCO.
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**J. H. BROWN & J. ELLARD**

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE Public generally that they have taken of Mr. J. T. Scott, for a term of years, the well-known and old-established
**Pioneer Billiard Saloon!**
**On Lytton Square,**
and hope, by strict attention, the very best quality of Liquors, and a comfortable and well-regulated Saloon, to merit a share of Public patronage.

The Billiard Tables are Phelan's best, and the Saloon is everything that can be desired for a quiet game.

New Westminster, October 30, 1863. oc31

**REMOVED!**

**J. A. WEBSTER**
Has removed to his new Stone
au Building. 26

**MUSIC! MUSIC!!**

JUST RECEIVED, a choice lot of SHEET MUSIC, at CLARKSON & Co.'s.

**DIARIES! DIARIES!!**

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF DIARIES FOR 1864, at CLARKSON & Co.'s. oc31

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN,

This journal is published every Wednesday and Saturday, at the office, Lytton Square, New Westminster. Single copy, price 6d., or 12½ cents. Terms per quarter, 10s., or $2.50; half-yearly, 18s., or $5.00, and yearly £1 10s., or $7.50. Subscriptions must be paid in advance.

☞ Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

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Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, $2 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, $1 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers.

Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication.

All Advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.

All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

ROYAL ENGINEER CLUB—G. Williams.
BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA—J. D. Walker.
MUNICIPAL NOTICE—Valentine Hall.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1864.

### WORK FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

Now that the door of the noble Duke's political menagerie is about to be thrown open and the Indian calf is to be trotted out, it behooves us to rub out spectacles, don our considering cap, and see what measures are most needed for the general weal of the Colony. First and foremost in the list we have no hesitation in placing the reconstruction of the tariff. This will constitute probably the most important measure of the session, and demands early and serious attention. It would be too much to attempt in one short article anything like an indication of all the changes that are necessary to be made in the existing tariff. But we may say, in a word, that the grand point to be kept in view in re-constructing the tariff is the building up and protecting of the commerce of *this* Colony, and the encouragement and fostering of all such manufactures as may reasonably be expected to spring up here under such protection. The duty should be entirely removed from many articles, made merely nominal upon several staples and increased upon articles of luxury. In order to make up for any deficiency in the revenue from such reductions a light export duty should be put upon all unmanufactured gold leaving the Colony, and the mint put in operation, so as to afford an opportunity of having gold converted into coin.

No man possessing the most ordinary commercial experience can look over the present tariff, bearing in mind the relative position of the two Colonies, without arriving at the conclusion that it was framed with a special view to the building up of Victoria commerce at the expense of this Colony. That in its workings it has met the expectations of its shrewd projectors there is the best evidence. Victoria has been forced up in a most unnatural way, like a hot-house plant, and New Westminster has been kept lean and starving all through this unnatural process of *forcing* the entire commerce of this Colony to pass through that town at an unnecessary and enormous expense. The great work which *our* Legislature have now to accomplish is to make such alterations as will not only put a stop to this state of things—this paying tribute to another Colony upon all our imports—but will build up a commercial emporium within our own Colony. To this end one of the first alterations required is to make the duty payable not on the value of the article here, as is the case now, but upon the purchase invoice wherever bought, thus holding out a strong inducement for importers to go to the best market instead of fiddling second hand to Victoria chapmen, and thereby causing the goods to cost the consumer at least fifty per cent. more than there is any occasion for. If the duty were payable on the purchase invoice merchants would have a double motive for seeking the cheapest markets, as they would not only save the 33 per cent. now paid to Victoria but also a third on the duty. Were this the case the merchant who imported direct from the chief markets would be enabled with ease to sell his goods here at Victoria prices, whereas the merchant who made his purchases in Victoria would be driven entirely out of the market. We object to this Victoria trade not from any ill will against the place, but purely upon commercial principles. If, as we believe, the trade of this Colony can be brought direct to her own seaports, and a commercial emporium built up within her own borders, it is obviously bad policy, nay, the height of madness, for us to be building up a great depot in another Colony, at an enormous cost and inconvenience to this. For it must be remembered that the money which has forced up Victoria is just the tax or toll which our commerce and immigration pay for the *privilege* of making a detour in order to pass through that town.

We have in the article of furniture a very fair illustration of the way the tariff is made to work up Victoria interests. There is a duty of ten per cent. upon furniture, stoves, wearing apparel, &c. But by going to Victoria, making his purchases and bringing the stuff up with him, any man can bring in all he wants duty free! Thus the trade here is virtually destroyed instead of receiving protection at the hands of Government. The dealer in these articles is obliged to pay duty upon all his stock, while those very men upon whom he counts as customers slip past his door to Victoria and bring in all they want without contributing a single dollar towards the revenue of the Colony. No marvel that Victoria has flourished and that New Westminster has been kept down under such monstrous legislation as this! We have given this merely as an example, as there are various other points equally glaring, such, for instance, as the matter of ship-building, dead carcasses and live animals, &c. &c., all arranged with an evident intention to drive trade to Victoria. If the tariff for this Colony were judiciously arranged so as to make the most of circumstances, we need no "free port" in order to wrench our commerce from the grasp of Victoria. All this Colony wants is a fair field and no favour—the power to frame our own laws to suit our circumstances; and then if this does not speedily become the commercial emporium, for this Colony at least, we will admit the supremacy of Victoria and submit with as good a grace as may be to the ignoble fate of being tributary to another and less important Colony.

New Advertisements.

## Royal Engineer Club.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING will take place in the Club Room, on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 7 p. m., to transact business of great importance in connection therewith.

All members are earnestly requested to attend.

G WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Camp, New Westminster, Jan. 12, 1864. ja13*

## BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

GENERAL ABSTRACT showing the average amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, within the Colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the QUARTER ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1863.

| LIABILITIES. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Notes in Circulation, | | $ 31,457 00 |
| Balance due to other Banks, | | 600,924 48 |
| Deposits { Not bearing interest, | $106,858 19 | |
| Deposits { Bearing interest, | 71,991 85 | 178,820 04 |
| Total amount of Liabilities, | | $811,201 52 |
| Amount of Subscribed Capital, | | £1,250,000 00 |
| Amount paid up at last advices, | | 625,000 00 |

| ASSETS. | | |
|---|---|---|
| Coined Gold and Silver, | $85,681 10 | |
| Bullion, | 251,240 84 | $336,921 94 |
| Landed and other property | | 22,642 09 |
| Government Securities, | | 59,155 65 |
| Balances due from other Banks, | | 58,274 68 |
| All Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, & all Stock & Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks, | | £342,635 12 |
| Total amount of Assets, | | $819,629 48 |

VICTORIA, V. I., 31st December, 1863.—We hereby certify that the above is a correct statement of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, as taken from the Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending this date.

GEO. CRUIKSHANK, Accountant.
J. D. WALKER, Manager.
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## MUNICIPAL NOTICE!

TO CHOPPERS!

TENDERS are invited for cutting down all the Timber and Brushwood on all Lots north of Douglas Street, which are not now under progress of being cut down, viz:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lots | 1 & 2 | in Block VII; | |
| " | 3 & 4 | do. | do. |
| " | 27 & 28 | do. | do. |
| " | 5 | do. | do. |

Specifications can be seen at the Town Hall.

By order,

VALENTINE HALL,
*Town Clerk.*

Town Clerk's Office, Jan. 12, 1864. ja13-td

## LOCHLOMOND HOUSE!

AT THE

**Seventy-four-mile Post**

ON THE

**Lillooet-Alexander Road.**

THE PROPRIETOR calls the attention of travellers to Cariboo to this House, which is just opened for the travelling public, where GOOD MEALS can be had at all hours, with all the delicacies of the season.

**THE BAR**

will contain CIVILITY, and the best

**LIQUORS AND CIGARS.**

This is the first house within 15 miles where good water can be obtained, and, being 27 miles above the Junction, affords a comfortable and convenient stopping place.

Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomond House.

JOHN McMURPHY.

Lochlomond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc.

## NOTICE!

WHEREAS Letters of Administration upon the estate of John Walker, deceased and intestate, have been granted to the subscriber under the seal of the Supreme Court, and dated the 12th December, 1863, all persons having claims against, or indebted to, the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to forward an account of, and to settle, the same, respectively, on or before the 1st of February, 1864. Address, at the Post Office, New Westminster, and after that date, and until the 1st of April next, at Richfield, Cariboo.

ALEXANDER NELSON,
*Administrator.*

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New Advertisements.

THE

**BRITISH COLUMBIA**

## MILL COMPANY,

New Westminster,

WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the Public that they are now prepared to furnish all descriptions of

**FIR, CEDAR AND SPRUCE LUMBER,**

**BOTH ROUGH & DRESSED.**

ALSO,

**Tongued and Grooved Flooring,**

IN ANY QUANTITIES.

From the superior character of the Mill just now completed, and from the facilities which they possess for shipping Lumber—there being sufficient depth of water at the Mill to float vessels of the largest size—they flatter themselves that they will be able to afford as great inducements to Lumber Dealers, and others, as any Mill on the Pacific Coast.

Bills of Lumber, of any dimensions, cut on the shortest notice.

Orders from Shippers or from the Interior are solicited, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

OFFICE—At J. A. Webster's Store, Columbia St.

J. A. WEBSTER & CO.

New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

## BONSON & RICHARDS,

CARPENTERS, JOINERS

—AND—

CABINET MAKERS

HAMLY STREET, NEAR THE CUSTOM HOUSE,

New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully beg to announce that they are now prepared to execute orders in any branch of the above trades, on the most reasonable terms.

ESTIMATES, PLANS & SPECIFICATIONS made for every description of buildings.

☞ Orders left at Bonson's Restaurant, or at the Workshop, will receive prompt attention.

de19-1m BONSON & RICHARDS.

**CHRISTMAS**

—AND—

## NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

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TERMS:—$30 a month, payable in advance, which will include the usual routine of an English Education, Writing and Arithmetic.

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YALE,—The Rev. H. Reeve, and E. H. Sanders, Esq., Resident Magistrate.

New Westminster, B. C., Nov. 10, 1863. no11-3m

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(LATE OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS,)

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JOHN MACLURE,
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New Westminster, B. C., November 2d, 1863. no4-tc

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A FULL AND COMPLETE SET OF TINNER'S TOOLS AND MACHINES;

And having secured the services of a first class tinsmith they are prepared to contract for

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New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

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**Front Street, New Westminster**

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New Westminster, October 30, 1863. oc31-tc

## NOTICE.

WILLIAM WOODCOCK has this day executed a deed of assignment for the benefit of his creditors. All persons to whom the said William Woodcock is indebted are requested to send in their claims to Jules David, or O. Parsons, before the 5th February next, otherwise they will be precluded from any dividend on the estate. The deed is lying for signature at the office of

MR. DRAKE,
*Solicitor for Assignees.*

5th December, 1863, Victoria, V. I. de9

## WOODCOCK & HAND,

[Late W. BLACKEE]

**BLACKSMITHS, &c.,**

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WOODCOCK & HAND respectfully beg to inform the inhabitants of New Westminster that they have taken over the above business, and are now prepared to execute with dispatch all orders with which they may be favored.

New Westminster, October 29, 1863. oc31-tc

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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1864.

## VICTORIA ITEMS.

A dreadful tragedy was enacted at the St. Nicholas Hotel on the evening of the 5th inst. A woman belonging to Whitby Island came over with a little boy about four years of age and put up at the St. Nicholas. On the evening in question it would appear that she had taken a dose of poison, and either administered some to her child or the child accidentally drank it. They were both taken ill, medical aid was promptly obtained and fatal consequences averted. Strange rumors are afloat as to the cause of this attempt at a double suicide.—On the 6th a man of the name of Wm. McDaniels who resided in a shanty on Store street near Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s storehouse, committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a pistol. He was a native of Kent, 80 years of age, and addicted to drink.—The Mayor and Mrs. Harris have been entertaining a large party of ladies and gentlemen at a splendid ball given in the spacious hall of the Colonial Hotel. It is said to have been a very great success.—News has reached Victoria of the loss of the "missionary schooner" *Carolena* off Bella-Bella with all on board, about four weeks ago. This is indeed sad news. It will be remembered that Mr. Duncan, the indefatigable missionary of Metlakahtla, purchased this schooner last summer on behalf of his Indians, to whom it belongs. The loss will be a sad blow to the missionary and to his work.—The steamer *Lillooet* was towed into Victoria harbor by the *Otter* on the 8th inst. The damage to the ship is supposed to be little over $2000.—The proprietor of the Royal Exchange has entered an action against the publishers of the *Evening Express* for libel. The alleged libel was contained in a communication, the author of which the publishers declined to give up The amount of damages claimed, or the offensive statement is not given; but from all we can learn the Royal Exchange is likely to get the worst of it.—On account of Ring having knocked the bottom out of the Incorporation Act for the city a new bill has been introduced into the Legislature, but has received a "six months' hoist." The *Colonist* is very wrathy about the fate of the Bill, and in his indignation it is said Mr. DeCosmos has resumed the editorial pen the better to vent his spleen upon his collengues. Meantime the city affairs are in a pretty fix. A corporation without a legal existence—without power to enforce their laws.

## MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

The nomination for Councillors to fill the vacancies in Wards 3 and 5 took place at the Court House on Saturday last at noon. Mr. W. D. Ferris, Mr. John Calder and Mr. Thomas McMicking were nominated for No. 3 Ward. The show of hands having been announced in favor of Mr. McMicking a poll was demanded on behalf of Mr. Ferris. Mr. John Wylie was nominated for No. 5 Ward, and being the only candidate, was declared duly elected. The polling for Ward 3 took place on Monday and resulted in the return of Mr. Calder.

VICTORIANS AND ICE.—It is really amusing to observe what a horror the Victorians have of Fraser River ice. When the str *Enterprise* went down a week ago a few pieces of float ice were observed, the result of a cold snap which lasted three or four days, but did not close navigation for a single hour. It would seem, however, they have made up their minds—is not the wish father to the thought?—that the river is closed, and so the steamer did not venture up yesterday. The fact is the river is not only perfectly clear, but the weather is mild and open—almost summer weather. We should not be the least surprised to see some of these Victorians come up one of these fine days swaddled in mosquito netting with a supply of fresh water along.

REMARKABLE MORTALITY.—It will be seen by reference to the obituary department that three deaths occurred in this community on Sunday last. The first two died in the Royal Columbian Hospital, and the latter was found dead in her bed—the effects of inebriation, so says the Coroner's Jury. What a warning! God grant that it may exert a salutary influence upon the community.

FIREMAN'S FUNERAL.—In consideration of Augustus Osborne having been a member of the Tiger Engine Company of Victoria, the Hyack Engine Company of this city took charge of the corpse, and the funeral, which took place yesterday, was conducted under their auspices. The corpse was taken to Holy Trinity Church, and the procession formed in front of the Engine House, and passed down Columbia street to the cemetery, headed by the Band playing the Dead March.

HISTORY OF THE WAR.—A history of the present war in America from a Northern stand-point by John S. C. Abbott, and another from a Southern point of view by Edward A. Pollard, have been published. They are both profusely illustrated with very fine steel engravings. Mr. P. A. Eakins is engaged in procuring subscribers for these works in this Colony.

POSTPONED.—In consequence of the Tea Meeting this evening, the Debating Society will meet to-morrow evening in the Town Hall at 7 o'clock P. M., when members are requested to give their attendance.

PRISON RETURNS.—We are indebted to the politeness of Mr. Prichard, Governor of the Gaol, for the following abstract of Prison Return for the month of December, 1863: In Jail on 1st of the month, 17; received during the month, 9; discharged during the month, 10; In Jail on 31st of the month, 16.

## Municipal Council.

Town Hall, January 11th, 1864.

Present, Councillors Holbrook, Manson, Webster, Armstrong, Clarkson, Robson and Murray. In the absence of the President Councillor Holbrook was voted to the Chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Communications from C. Brew, Esq., were read, informing the Council of the election of Mr. John Wylie for Ward No. 5, and Mr. John Calder for Ward No. 3. These gentlemen were invited by the chairman to take their seats at the Council Board.

A detailed report from the Fire Department was read, adopted and ordered to be published. On motion of Coun. Manson the Council went into Committee of the Whole upon the specifications for constructing a side walk on the lower side of Columbia street, Coun. Armstrong in the chair. After some slight amendments the Committee rose, reported progress, and the specifications were read by title and passed. Moved by Coun. Clarkson, seconded by Coun. Robson, and *Resolved*, That the Clerk receive tenders till next meeting of Council for the cutting down of all brushwood and timber on all the lots north of Douglas street which are not now under way of being cut down, the cost and charges to be collected from the owners of the same. Moved by Coun. Murray, seconded by Coun. Calder, and *Resolved*, That a Committee consisting of Messrs. Robson, Wylie and the mover, be appointed to take into consideration the best method of carrying out the suggestions contained in the report of the Chief Engineer, said Committee to report to this Council at its next meeting. Moved by Coun. Robson, seconded by Coun. Webster, and *Resolved*, That Coun. Clarkson be appointed a member of the Board of Works in the place of Coun. Ross. Moved by Coun. Armstrong, seconded by Coun. Robson, and *Resolved*, That Coun. Murray be appointed a member of the Finance Committee, *vice* Mr. Claudet, resigned. The amount due Mr. Handy for section 1, Mary street, was ordered to be paid. The amount due Messrs. S. P. Moody & Co. for work done according to terms of contract (£575) was ordered to be paid. The Clerk was empowered to dispose of Municipal Debentures to the amount of £700.

## A ROAD WANTED.

MR. EDITOR.—I have often wondered that you—*you* who are generally so watchful for the public interest—have never advocated the construction of a highway from this the seaport town of the Colony to connect with one of the great roads leading into the interior from the head of navigation on the Lower Fraser. The Fraser, nature's great highway, macadamised by God himself for the commerce of this Colony, is all very well in its way; but our trade is waxing far too important to depend *entirely* upon water communication, more especially as it is subject to freeze up even for a short time every year. We must have *uninterrupted* communication with the interior. It will not do to be at the mercy of such contingencies as the freezing of the river. Even if the navigation above this were open all the year still we would be the better of a road as well, not only for live stock, but as a sort of regulator upon steamboat charges. If I am rightly informed a road taken in nearly a direct line from this to Pemberton would reach that point in about 60 miles, thereby bringing this city nearer to Lillooet by upwards of 100 miles! I am also informed that there is a favorable site for such road, and an easy pass through the range of mountains which intervenes. If this be so it is of the utmost importance that such road should be made, as the distance would not only be greatly reduced and the wretched navigation between the mouth of Harrison River and Douglas avoided, but a valuable tract of agricultural and mineral country would be thus opened up. I hope, Mr. Editor, you will urge upon our new Government the importance of constructing a trunk road from here to connect with at least one of the great interior roads above. Such a work would be of very great colonial importance, and becomes an absolute necessity in view of the annual interruption to navigation.

A BRITISH COLUMBIAN.

MR. EDITOR.—Are you aware that a number of British subjects, thoroughly disgusted with the miserable misrule to which this Colony has been subjected ever since its establishment, and utterly hopeless of any improvement under the present *regime*, which has every appearance of continuing, have recorded "their intention" by proxy with the State authorities of California?

If the British Government should persist in continuing Mr. Douglas as Governor of this Colony for three years longer there will be little left to inhabit it but Indians and wild beasts, and the best thing that could be done would be to re-lease it to the Hudson Bay Company; for, depend upon it, men who have been accustomed to liberal institutions in other countries are not going to remain where they are obliged to submit to such petty oppression as exists here.

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THE FOLLY OF ASCETICISM.—Men often suppose that to rise into the religious life it is necessary that they shall withdraw from intercourse with the world of secular things. Not so. It is realised better in society than in the hermitage; and the world, instead of its being closed as a scene of pleasure, acquires new interest and value; it manifests power even to amend us. "Use the world," is the doctrine of purity. To forsake it is ungrateful to God and prejudicial to our best interests. The truly religious man cannot see how it is a proof of piety to emasculate his natural instincts. He knows how to be both "merry and wise," and that it is religious to be so Those who make destruction of the common affections of our nature the conditions of rising to God, confound use with abuse, will with willfulness. The value and importance of the sensuous life are such as it is almost impossible to overrate. The evil consists in staying in it—or rather in neglecting to engraft upon it a higher life. There is nothing in the spirit of religion hostile to the cheerful enjoyment of the world.

☞ An English gentleman declares the following incident occurred at the station of the Painbuza Railroad:—"A Mexican girl—pretty and well dressed—was preparing to alight from the car, when a French officer and a Mexican officer in a spic-and-span new uniform, offered their hands to asssist her in alighting. The lady said "Between an invader and a traitor I prefer the invader," and gave her hand to the Frenchman. The Mexican started as if he had been shot, his hat fell off, and he stood for some seconds perfectly stupefied."—*London Paper.*

## DEATHS.

In this city, on the 10th inst., William S. Smullen, aged 62 years, a native of Ireland.

In this city, on the 10th inst., Augustus Osborne, aged 29 years, a native of New Bedford, U. S. Victoria and California papers please copy.

At the R. E. Camp on the 10th inst., the wife of James Dixon, late of the Royal Engineers.

New Advertisements.

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**Dissolution of Co-partnership.**

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between McMurphy & Grant, of the "Lochlomond House," is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the late partnership are to be paid to, and all liabilities contracted by the said partnership are to be liquidated by, the said

JOHN McMURPHY.

Lochlomond, B. C., Nov. 21, 1863. ja6-1m

**COAL! COAL!!**

FOR SALE!—The cargo of the schooner "Meg Merrilies," in quantities to suit, at $13 per ton.

L. HOYT.

New Wesnminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE

**COLUMBIA HOTEL!**

Columbia Street, New Westminster,

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS and the Traveling Public that there will be every attention received at the above Hotel.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

The substantials and delicacies of the season will always be found on the Table, and every possible comfort afforded to the Traveler.

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*Proprietors.*

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WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER, BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

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| Patent Lever, jewelled ..... | 12 12 | 15 15 | 5 5 | 6 6 |
| Do. do. 4 jewels ..... | 16 16 | 19 19 | 7 10 | 8 10 |
| Do. do. finely finished, 6 jewels | 19 19 | 23 0 | 8 10 | 9 10 |
| Do. do. extra, 8 jewels ..... | 24 0 | 27 0 | 9 10 | 10 10 |
| ¾ Plate Lever, jewelled ..... | 15 15 | 18 18 | 9 9 | 10 10 |
| Do. do. 6 jewels ..... | 19 19 | 23 0 | 10 10 | 11 11 |
| Do. do. 8 jewels ..... | 24 0 | 27 0 | 12 12 | 13 13 |
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OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, SIZE, PRICE & QUALITY.

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CLUTE & MAJOR.

New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc

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**GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.,**

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Sapperton, N. W., 22nd December, 1863. de23-tc

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New Westminster, Dec., 1863. de9-tc

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Collector of Accounts,

**AND GENERAL AGENT.**

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WILLIAM CLARKSON.

New Westminster, B. C., Dec. 11, 1863. de12-tc

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New Westminster, Dec. 29, 1863. de30-tc

New Advertisements.

**NOTICE.**

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A Note made by C. Lyndon in favor of Samuel Mitchell for Thirty-six dollars.

A Note made by P. McIntee, in favor of Samuel Mitchell, for Twenty-five dollars.

A Note made by James Ward in favor of Samuel Mitchell, endorsed by P. McIntee, for three hundred dollars, dated Dec. 7th, 1863.

A Note made by John Carragher, in favor of Samuel Mitchell, for Fifty-three dollars.

SAMUEL MITCHELL.

Yale, December 21st, 1863. dec30-1m

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W. HARVEY.

New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc*

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**NEW WESTMINSTER**

**MUNICIPAL LOAN LAW, 1862.**

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders will be received by the Municipal Council for the purchase of £2,600 Sterling in Municipal Debentures, of £100 Sterling, each, issued under and by virtue of a By-Law confirmed by His Excellency the Governor of British Columbia, and secured as a first charge on the general revenue of the said City.

The Debentures bear interest at the rate of six per cent., per annum, payable half-yearly, either in London, England, or at the Bank of British Columbia, New Westminster, and shall be redeemable to the amount of £500, on the 1st day of November, A. D., 1870, and so on regularly in succession, the amount of £500 being redeemable on the 1st day of November, in each succeeding year, until the whole are paid

Sufficient Coupons (according to the time the Debentures have to run) will be attached to each Debenture.

Tenders will be received until the 15th day of February, 1864.

Parties desiring information, or making proposals will please address the President of the Municipal Council, New Westminster.

By order,

VALENTINE HALL,
*Town Clerk.*

Town Clerk's Office,
New Westminster, Dec. 22, 1863. de23 td

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# The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY, JAN 13, 1864.

## The Bombardment of Kagosima, Japan.

(From the "Illustrated London News.")

"The fleet, consisting of seven vessels, anchored in Kagosima Bay on the 11th of August. On the following day a Japanese officer, with forty retainers, came off to the Euraylus with a long letter; but before it was delivered a boat, bearing a large white flag was observed coming off at great speed, and the officer having charge of the white flag objected to the perusal of the letter, stating that it required alteration. The next day another and longer letter was delivered; and it touched upon the murder of Richardson, and went on to say that it was no doubt very wrong to murder men, and murderers ought to be brought to justice; that they had heard we had a treaty with the Tycoon, and the blame was due to him for not informing us that the Japanese law allowed no one to cross the path of a daimio during a procession without being cut down, and more to the same effect. They were silent about the indemnity, and consequently Admiral Kuper informed them that he would seize and keep Satzuma's three steamers until he paid the money. The vessels were seized accordingly. Now the three steamers cost the Prince more than treble indemnity money.

"On the 15th of August, at twelve o'clock, the Japanese forts opened fire on our squadron. The Porseus, Captain Kingston, was nearly three hours engaged with Fort No. 8, and for a considerable time alone, before the rest of the squadron came up. The Japanese kept up a heavy fire with mortars, ten-inch shells, and guns, making very good practice. The Euryalus suffered very much. Captain Josling and Commander Wilmot were killed at the same moment by a round shot, and a shell burst in the frnot of the ship, killing seven men and wounding more than double that number at their guns. A brisk action continued for thirty-five minutes; most of the enemy's guns were dismounted, and the town was fired, half of it being burnt on this day. As soon as the action commenced, the Prince's steamers were set fire to and destroyed; five Loo-Choo junks, and all the native craft in the harbour also were burned. During all this time a typhoon was blowing and the rain falling in torrents. The enemy's shot rained over head an iron shower; the shells burst, and the flames, fanned by the wind, leaped from street to street, leaving behind ashes and desolation. At night the fleet anchored, the batteries ceased firing, and the Perseus sent in a rocket every now and then to keep up the fire.

"The next day the fighting was continued; the batteries were silenced, with the exception of a few guns; the remainder of the town was burnt, and Satzuma's castle battered with shot and shell. The fleet then steamed out, and left what was Kagosima a mas of ruins and flames, Satzuma's ships—steamers and junks—all destroyed, his factories and foundries burnt, his castle riddled, his magazines blown up, and his guns dismounted.

"Our fleet was pretty well knocked about, the rigging cut up, and most of our small boats smashed. The Euryalus suffered most. The little gun-boat Havoc, which behaved splendidly, was not the least hurt; like a water-rat she dodged about, defying the enemy to touch her.

Our loss is about sixty killed and wounded. None of the officers of the Legation were hurt. All returned safely to Yokohama, and the fleet is now repairing damages."

A FIGHT IN A CHURCH.—Lieutenant Allen, of Logan's command, having been informed that the crew of the gun-boat at Rodney were in the habit of attending church, determined to try an experiment. Dressing himself in a citizen's garb, he leisurely sauntered into town last Sunday, and had the pleasure of finding some twenty-two of the Yankee officers and men, dressed in their best toggery, snugly seated in the quiet and unsuspecting congregation. With this information he left town, and soon returned in command of a squad of men; he entered the church and apologised to the preacher for having to disturb him for a few minutes, stating that he had called to demand the surrender of the United State's soldiers in the congregation. Instantly the engineer of the gun-boat jumped behind the door and fired at Lieutenant Allen, the ball passing through his cap. Allen returned the fire and sent the engineer to his long home. A general scattering and firing ensued, resulting in killing two Yankees and wounding another, and in the capture of Captain Ventress, of the gun-boat, one lieutenant and fifteen men. The Yankees bore their capture with a good deal of nonchalence, seeming to regard it as a good joke. Those on the gun-boat, seeing the affair, commenced a furious shelling over, but not upon, the town. Lieutenant Allen addressed the commander a note, stating that his force belonged to the Confederate States; that the people of Rodney were in no wise responsible for what his men had done, and if a solitary shell were thrown into the town he would hang his prisoners. Captain Ventress also wrote a note requesting that no damage should be done to the town, as the whole affair was a legitimate military transaction. One old lady in the midst of the *melee* jumped up and shouted "Glory to God," but the way the balance of the congregation rolled around, and mixed up promiscuously in the midst of the fight, is said to have been rich beyond description, and certainly very excusable. —*Mississippian.*

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WATERS & DONOVIN.
New Westminster, B. C., Oct. 9, 1863. oc10-tc

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**Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.**

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**To Regain Health, Strength and Vigour.**

Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed a "little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.

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These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectually twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effectual remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled colds, but asthma of many years standing, and even when patients who were in so bad a state as not able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked with phlegm.

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| Colics | Indigestion | Tic Douloureux |
| Constipation of the Bowels | Inflammation | Tumours |
| Consumption | Jaundice | Ulcers |
| Debility | Liver Complaints | Venereal Affections |
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**Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.**

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighbouring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage; and most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

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Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.

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On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat: this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

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